



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kircher et. al. )  
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Serial No.: 09/729,498 )  
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Filed: December 4, 2000 )  
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For: Method And Apparatus )  
For Controlling The )  
Strategy Of Compounding )  
Pharmaceutical )  
Admixtures )  
Atty. Docket No.: NU-5532 )

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this date. September 27, 2001 *[Signature]*  
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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

- This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of 4 months to October 4, 2001.
- A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed.

- Calculation of extension fee (37CFR 1.17(a) - (d)):

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$400.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$920.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,440.00

- Fee Payment

☒ Charge extension fee to Account No. 02-1440. This is also a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Date: September 27, 2001

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